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In accordance with Section 14-96q of the Connecticut General Statutes, flashing lights are prohibited on motor vehicles except "on certain emergency and maintenance vehicles by written permit from the commissioner" Further, the commissioner is authorized at this discretion, to issue special permits for the us of flashing or revolving lights on emergency vehicles. Based on the search missions undertaken by the Civil Air Patrol on authorization from the United States Air Force Rescue Coordination Center, and the Federal Aviation Administration regulations requiring the use of flashing Amber lights on motor vehicles operating on airport property, it is appropriate that the Civil Air Patrol receive Authorization to use amber lights while performing a mission. No permit will be required since your organization is acting as Arm of the government.

Department of Motor Vehicles Support Services Flashing Light Unit

